

Choice Independent Book Reaction

Due: Friday, February 12

Choosing your book: Over the past few weeks you have been learning about Five Facts of Fiction in your writing. Now you will focus on those same facts as you read your independent novel. You can choose any novel that is at your reading level, but it cannot be from the following genres (non-fiction, biography, autobiography, or historical fiction).

Completing your written book reaction: As you read your book, make notes on paper or with post-its when you notice the author uses any of the Five Facts of Fiction writing. After you identify those traits within your novel, you will describe at least one example for each trait. For each example you will:

- Identify and describe the fact of fiction writing
- Use a quote from the book including a page number
- Explain in your own words how this example shows quality fiction writing

In addition to writing about the Five Facts of Fiction, you also need to include the title, author and theme of your novel. Your final draft of this reaction can be completed in a traditional paragraph report format or in a web of information with paragraphs in each bubble.

